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Governor Barbour Appoints Walley Naylor To Vacant Seat on State Ethics Commission

(Jackson, Mississippi) – Governor Haley Barbour today named Walley R. Naylor, of Madison, to fill a vacancy on the Mississippi Ethics Commission created by the Oct. 11 resignation of Anjuan Brown. Naylor's appointment, effective immediately, is for the unexpired term ending Nov. 15, 2007.

Naylor, a former chairman of the Mississippi Parole Board and former executive director of the Mississippi Christian Coalition, is pastor of the Living Word Christian Church in Jackson. He founded the organization Men of Valor/Women of Virtue. He is a board member of Mississippi Pro Life, Voice of Calvary Ministry and is also actively involved in missionary work in the country of Belize in Central America.

Like Brown, an employee of the Mississippi Gaming Commission, Naylor is also a state employee, serving as Director of Child Support Enforcement in the Mississippi Department of Human Services.

Born in Hattiesburg, Naylor lives in Madison with his wife and two daughters. He also has a son and grandson who live in Jackson, and a son living in Dallas, Texas.

He attended the University of Southern Mississippi and Jackson State University before graduating from Belhaven College with a degree in Business Administration. He also holds an associate degree in Electronic Engineering and a diploma from Grace Bible College in Cary, North Carolina.

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